I am firmly opposed to a merger that will only benefit the DBS service provider, while us consumers will be left with no choice, I don't think cable is competition to the DBS industry. Our local cable provider only offers 30 channels for the same price that Dish offered 100, that is the reason why I switch to a DBS provider. Now how is it that the DBS merger will offer more channels when all the satellites are in different locations and are limited as to the number of transponders? I think competition will bring inovation and will keep prieces down.